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Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education

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We are unable to evaluate foreign credentials in this office. Before we can process your application for a Missouri teaching certificate, you must send all transcripts and other certification information to a United States credentialing agency that provides a transcript analysis service. The analysis must be translated into English and include the following: specific course titles, credit hours earned, letter grades received, the cumulative grade point average, and a statement verifying the completed program's equivalency to a United States degree.

After you receive the official analysis from the credentialing agency, you may apply for a Missouri teaching certificate. You will need to complete a Missouri Teacher Certification Application and submit finger-print cards for a Background Check. The certification requirements are available on the DESE website. The official analysis from the credentialing agency will be accepted in lieu of the institutional recommendation. Upon receipt of the completed application packet, our office will complete a course by course evaluation to determine your eligibility for Missouri certification.

Although we do not endorse any of the agencies listed on the attached page we have contacted each of them and verified that they provide all the information we require. This information was current as of January, 2004.

If you have any further, please contact our office at 573-751-0051.

Educational Credential Evaluators, Inc.

Post Office Box 514070

Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53203-3470

(414) 289-3412 Fax: (414) 289-3411 Web Site: www.ece.org

International Consultants, Inc. of Delaware

109 Barksdale Professional Center

Newark, Delaware 19711

(302) 737-8715

Fee: \$175.00 (course by course evaluation and grade point

average)

Contact the agency for instructions before sending documents.

Josef Silny & Associates, Inc. International Education Consultants Post Office Box 248233

Coral Gables, Florida 33124

(305) 273-1616 Fax: (305) 273-1338

Fee: #130.00 (course by course evaluation and grade point

average)

Contact the agency for instructions before sending documents.

Analysis is usually completed within two weeks.

Academic & Professional International Evaluations, Inc.

Post Office Box 5787

Los Alamitos, California 90721-5787

(310) 594-6498

Fax: (310) 594-8498

Fee: \$100.00 (subject breakdown with grades and grade point

average)

Contact the agency for instructions before sending documents.

Credential Evaluation Service, Inc.

Post Office Box 66940

Los Angeles, California 90066

(310) 390-6276

Fax: (310) 397-7686

Fee: \$150.00 (detailed report-includes course by course

evaluation and grade point average)

Contact the agency for instructions before sending documents.

Lincoln International Educational Associates

Credential Evaluation Service

Post Office Box 3043

Lawrence, Kansas 66046

(785) 843-1270

E-mail: clincoln@sunflower.com

Fee: \$115.00 (course by course evaluation and grade point

average)

Contact the agency for instructions before sending documents.

World Education Services, Inc.

Midwest Office

Post Office Box 11623

Chicago, IL 60611-0623

(312) 222-0882 or 1-800-937-3898

Fax: (312) 222-1217

E-mail: MIDWEST@WES.ORG

Website: www.wes.org

Fee: \$155.00 (course by course evaluation and grade point

average)

Contact the agency for instructions before sending documents.

Foreign Consultants, Inc.

Credential Evaluation Services

3000 Dundee Road

Suite 209

Northbrook, IL 60062

(773) 761-0000 or (847) 498-4499

Fax: (847) 412-9570

Email: <u>info@foreignconsultants.com</u> Website: <u>www.foreignconsultants.com</u>

Fee: \$200.00 (special reports-includes course by course

evaluation and grade point average)

Contact the agency for instructions before sending documents.